

REMARKS

Claims 1-5, 7-11, 13-21, 23-25 and 27-31 are pending in the present application. Claims 19-21, 23-25 and 27 have been allowed. Applicant gratefully acknowledges the allowance. Rejected claims 1-5, 7-11, 13-18 and 28-31 have now been canceled, leaving only allowed claims 19-21, 23-25 and 27 pending in the present application. It is respectfully submitted that the application is accordingly now in condition for allowance.

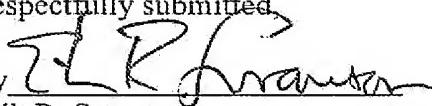
CONCLUSION

It is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been added.

In view of the above amendment, applicant respectfully requests that the pending application be allowed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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